

AN ORDINANCE 2006-02-09-0182

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HER DESIGNEE TO SUBMIT VARIOUS REGIONAL SOLID WASTE PASS-THROUGH GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR APPROXIMATELY \$300,000.00 FROM THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY THROUGH THE ALAMO AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (AACOG) FOR FY 2006, TO SUPPORT ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMMING AND MUNICIPAL ENFORCEMENT; FURTHER AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF GRANT CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE CITY AND AACOG AND ACCEPTANCE OF ALL AVAILABLE SUBSEQUENT FUNDING.

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WHEREAS, since 1996, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), through the Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG), has provided the City funding as part of a statewide grant program for area Councils of Governments to distribute to municipal and local agencies; and

WHEREAS, said grants are funded by local fees imposed by the State on volumes of disposed municipal solid waste, generated in the community, as reflected in private and public landfill fees; and

WHEREAS, said grant funds may be used for equipment, site improvements, educational programs and supplies, and environmental enforcement programs to carry out the requirements of the Texas Solid Waste disposal Act; and

WHEREAS, approval of this Ordinance will be a continuation of City Council policy to protect environmental resources and to seek funding for environmental initiatives; **NOW THEREFORE**,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or her designee, is hereby authorized to submit applications for the Regional Solid Waste Pass-Through Grants for Fiscal Year 2006, in the amount of approximately \$300,000.00, from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality through the Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG). If said grants are awarded, the City Manager, or her designee, is authorized to execute grant contracts between the City and AACOG. The City Manager, or her designee, is also authorized to accept and contract for all subsequent funding that may become available and may be received from any and all grant applications submitted for FY 2006 projects.

SECTION 2. Equipment, site improvements, educational programs and supplies, and environmental enforcement programs, authorized by conditions of the grant program and financed by any grant awarded under contract(s) will be funded directly by the grant. Future City Council approval may be required for specific, subsequent expenditures as authorized by the grant contract(s).

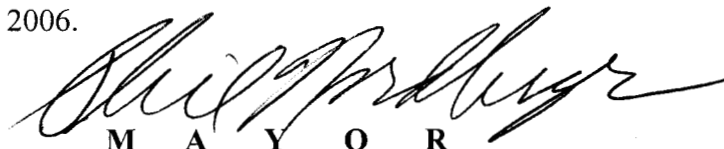
SECTION 3. The following financial provisions are approved as may be necessary to effect this ordinance:

(a) Fund 26008000, General Ledger No. 4501110, entitled "Grants State-Oper." is hereby designated for use in accounting for the fiscal transactions of this program.

(b) The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocation to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall become effective on February 19, 2006.

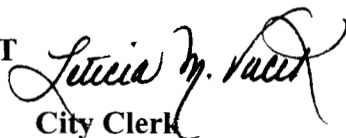
PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of February, 2006.



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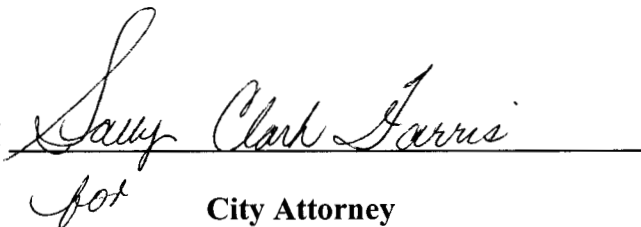
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ATTEST



City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM


for
City Attorney